

# The Port Arthur News

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PORI ARTHUR, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MAY 29, 1924.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

## NEW STORM KILLS 11 IN OKLAHOMA

Gompers Warns Labor Moscow Controls Third Party

### SHORT STORIES

Facts With Frills, Fancies And Oddities  
By "S. S."

Cooler.

Thunder squalls threatened.

Postoffice force will picnic tomorrow.

Small craft warning hung out this a.m.

Red Paschal visited Fifth street this a.m.

Franklin and DeQuince graduation exercises this evening.

Caps on all fireplugs in city fire zone being greased today.

**DAILY SHIP SCORE:** In Port Arthur, 33; at Beaumont, 5.

Pier bridge tested out today before finally being opened to traffic.

D. J. McKinley, federal postmaster, arrived this morning.

Fred Ragsdale's "Crayfish" team won Lions club attendance contest.

E. A. Cary, former Port Arthur business man, back in city few hours yesterday.

A. A. Gunter called to Ninth End on court business couple hours this morning.

T.M.E.L. membership committee began plans for annual frolic this morning.

Banks and federal buildings close Friday in observance of Memorial day here.

Banks, federal building and city hall offices will close tomorrow for Memorial Day.

Camp fire of Sea Scouts burned on the sand bank Wednesday night while the juvenile crew turned to on a winds roost.

Captain J. S. Law, Red Cross swimming expert, coming to Port Arthur Sunday to put on three days demonstration.

T. D. Slater, New Orleans traffic expert, dropped into America's fifth largest port yesterday and predicted big shipping gains.

"Red" Paschal and Phone Boys Waltrip to represent Port Arthur at the national convention of Lions clubs in Omaha soon.

Nine Beaumonians who missed their regular weekly attendance at their own club, were guests of the local Rotary today noon.

Little Miss Clydie Mae Walker, weight seven pounds, arrived Sunday night to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. Walker, 1840 Sixth street.

John Edward is the little 8-pounder who has come to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. George, Medical Addition residents, S. S. has been told.

Sham battle slated for next Wednesday night on the Pleasure Pier. Captain A. A. Nielson, commanding Company D, 111th Engineers, said today.

Police Chief Walter W. Covington says the commission is using that prancing luffe on the budget so frequently it will soon be worn down to a feather.

Members of the Rotary club, following their noon luncheon in Plaza hotel today, entertained with two sections by Miss Audry Lucille Smith and Professor Kearns.

Major J. P. Logan returned from Waco last night and took up the reigns of City affairs again this morning by holding a special session of the commission to resume voting budget requests.

"Shorty" Waltrip, phone boys opinion, it never rains but it pours. "I just walked out of a drug store after getting a drink and into a man who asked me to have another one," Waltrip claims.

### Probably Storms

**LOCAL FORECAST:** Tonight and Friday, unsettled, probably local showers, some thunderstorms.

**FOR EAST TEXAS:** Tonight and Friday, partly cloudy to cloudy, probably local showers and thunderstorms in east and south portions; cooler tonight.

**FOR LOUISIANA:** Tonight and Friday, probably local, showers and thunderstorms; cooler tonight.

**WINDS ON TEXAS COAST:** Moderate to fresh southerly, shifting to northwest with thunderstorms.

Lightest temperature yesterday, 34; lowest last night, 75; precipitation, none.

**YEAR AGO Today:** Highest, 35; lowest, 76.

Sunrise this evening, 7:14 p.m.; sunrise tomorrow, 6:54 a.m.

**TIDE RECORD:**

Time of high and low water at Galveston Bay, eight under normal conditions, 100 feet above mean sea level.

**TEXAS WEATHER AND ROADS:** Dallas—Clear; roads good.

Fort Worth—Clear; roads rough.

Houston—Partly cloudy; roads bad.

San Antonio—Clear; roads good.

### I.C.C. TO HEAR 'T' CASE JUNE 14

Beaumont Aids Fight On Port Arthur

#### TESTS CANCELLATIONS

Abandoning of This As Call Port Issue in Case

What is declared to be the most important hearing ever to come up bearing on Port Arthur's future as a port is to be held at Washington June 14, when an examiner of the Interstate Commerce Commission will hear the case brought against this port by the Transmarine Corporation, H. Y. Taylor, traffic manager of the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping, announced today.

The case, according to Taylor, is one in which the Transmarine company seeks to eliminate Port Arthur as a port of call, cancel rates and make Beaumont the official call port.

The Transmarine company has asked the elimination of Port Arthur, as a result of rail facilities.

**Date Set Yesterday**

Through the efforts of the local chamber suspension of the order was granted by the Interstate Commerce Commissioners until August 29. The date for the hearing, June 14, was received Wednesday at chamber headquarters.

Lack of rail facilities here formed the basis for an application for a cer-

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### To Wed Royalty



### 'Exes' Here Resolve Stark Has Forfeited Seat As U. Regent

Adopt. Resolutions Asking Board to Resign in Row Arising From Offer of U. Presidency to Neff

Declaring the present board of regents of the University of Texas in offering the presidency of that institution to Governor Pat Neff has now lost its ability to serve the best interests of the university, the Port Arthur alumni of the state university last night adopted resolutions asking the board to resign and "make it possible to organize a new board which will more fully enjoy the confidence of the students."

**Hists at Stark**

The name of S. J. Lutcher Stark, of Orange, chairman of the board of regents, whose engagement to wed Lord Donegall, heir to the Earl of Moray, has been formally announced in London, was 32 and a member of one of the oldest Scottish families. They met while Lord Donegall was visiting New York two years ago.

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That the final clause of the ten-section resolution was a reference to Stark in particular was verified this morning by A. A. Gunter, president of the Texas Exes here.

**Not Disqualified for Drive**

"I believe we struck a bargain with the system Stark and the rest of the system," said Neff. "Incidentally, unlike some other alumni associations, though we do not think this action in any way disqualifies Stark for his duties with the Michaelis Drive. The two have no relation," Gunter said.

Governor Neff as a governor and state was given the highest distinction by the resolutions adopted.

The arrival of a postoffice inspector has been awaited with interest by Post office officials, members of the City council and residents of Model Addition. It is upon the inspector's decision the addition is dependent to get the long waited for city mail service.

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**Neft Attitude Praised**

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President Gunter of the Port Arthur exes will go to Austin Saturday and represent the Port Arthur alumnus at a meeting called there to definitely through on the Stark row.

"I shall act as I have been instructed. That is to demand the present regents resign and to urge that Stark be kept on the Stadium board," Gunter said.

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Collector's department reduced \$1,025.

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**FOUND-10 STUDIES WHO HAVE NEVER BEEN KISSED**

**G. T. Craig Improves Following Operation**

The condition of George T. Craig, active vice-president of the Merchant Bank, who underwent an emergency operation for appendicitis Tuesday night, was reported good by hospital authorities today. Craig was stricken suddenly Tuesday night and surgeon operated on him at Mary Gates hospital shortly before Tuesday night.

**PROBE DEATH OF YOUTH IN ACADEMY HAZING**

ANNAPOLIS, Md., May 29.—An inquiry into the death of a student at the Naval Academy will investigate the drowning of Michael Lester Richards with 23 Kent, Ohio.

His death yesterday was at the close of the annual frolic of freshmaning the class rings when second class men are fished into the water.

**REPEAL DRY LAW**

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 29.—The first resolution to succeed to repeal the Eighteenth Amendment was introduced in the House today by Representative O'Brien, Conn., Democrat.

O'Sullivan said he realized it had no real chance of passage as it would be "stifled" by the anti-saloon League which dominates congress.

He said, however, he thought the amendment ought to repealed because its existence was endangering established authority and declared he was more interested in maintaining the integrity of government than in pro-

tection to more solicitous.

**ADVISES UNIONS TO BE ON GUARD**

Stay Away From St. Paul Convention, He Advises

**ADDRESSES MESSAGE**

Says Efforts Made to Trick American Workers

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## CLAIMS MASKED MEN BEAT HIM

H. L. Evans of Nome Is Chained to Post, He Says

*Special to The News.*  
BEAUMONT, Texas, May 29.—During a hearing on a liquor charge before United States Commissioner C. E. Pool here yesterday, H. L. Evans, living near Nome, gave an account of a severe beating which he claimed was given him more than two weeks ago.

Evans declared that seven masked men had taken him from his home on the night of May 14. After being handcuffed and blindfolded he was put in an automobile. He was taken out on a bridge between Jefferson and Hardin counties where he was beaten with a rubber hose. He then stated he was taken to New Lake, chained to a post in front of the bank building there. He succeeded in pulling the chain from about his neck and managed to make his way back to his home.

Tuesday night federal officers Ben Cowen and Raymond Beach visited the Evans home with a warrant to search it for liquor. Evans, believing Cowen and Beach to be members of the same gang that had beaten him, before threatened to kill the officers if they came in the house. After an explanation, Evans allowed them to enter and when liquor, the officers charged, was found, Evans was brought to the Beaumont city jail.

He declared he knew no reason for the attack on him, other than that the men had required him to either give him some information they wanted or to leave the country in three days.

### PTOMAINE CASES ARE EPIDEMIC

*Special to The News.*  
BEAUMONT, Texas, May 29.—Local physicians are reporting an epidemic of light ptomaine poisoning cases. All persons are affected in the same manner, and the attacks as a rule do not last over a day or so. Severe cases of ptomaine poisoning, however, have also been reported.

### ONLY TWO MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED

*Special to The News.*  
BEAUMONT, Texas, May 29.—Only two marriage licenses were issued from the office of the county clerk, again Wednesday, bringing the average for the week down considerably. Fourteen licenses have been issued since Monday, of which 8 were to white couples and the other 6 to negroes. Those issued yesterday were to Henry Paecher and Miss Willie Bates Elliott; Arnes Hardage and Eunice E. Hammond.

Suits Filed

Texas Indemnity company vs. Han-  
nah Collins.  
Divorce Filed  
Sue Bennett vs. Matthew Bennett;  
Susan Green vs. Albert Green.  
Automobile Licenses  
M. F. Blodgette, Port Arthur, Baileys;  
J. L. Cooper, 630 14th street, Port  
Arthur, Baileys;  
Ewach Carrier, 621 Naeville, Port  
Arthur, Chevrolet;  
Port Arthur Laundry, Dodge, Port  
Arthur;  
Port Neches Motor Company, Port  
Neches, Ford;  
D. R. Perdue, Port Neches, Ford;  
L. E. Richey, Port Neches, Ford.

### TWO INDICTED ON LIQUOR CHARGES

*Special to The News.*  
BEAUMONT, Texas, May 29.—Louie Barnes and George Riley were arrested Wednesday night on charges of transporting liquor. Grand jury indictments were returned on the two Tuesday when that body adjourned. There are still several arrests to be made, since seven bills were returned.

### WIER IS AWARDED \$2500 DAMAGES

*Special to The News.*  
BEAUMONT, Texas, May 29.—A jury in 5th district court Wednesday afternoon awarded \$2500 damages to

James Wier of Port Arthur in his suit against the Travelers Insurance company. The suit was brought following an accident at the Gulf company in Port Arthur. Notice of appeal was filed by the defendants.

### BEAUMONT BOARD DECLINES BIDS

*Special to The News.*  
BEAUMONT, Texas, May 29.—The Beaumont board of education meeting here Wednesday afternoon decided that all the bids they received in the \$50,000 repair program on buildings were too high and decided to do the work independent of the services of an employed contractor.

### ALES COUNTS TO RE-SHELL ROAD

*Special to The News.*  
BEAUMONT, Texas, May 29.—A request to consider improving and shelling the road from the Port Arthur-Beaumont highway to Port Neches junction beyond the intersection was received by Judge Johnson this morning from Harvey Gilbert. Gilbert stated in his letter that his company contemplated opening an industrial addition in this vicinity and that in addition to that the Gulf, Texas, Magnolia and Atlantic refineries, all located in this territory, were figuring on making extensive improvements.

### ALLEGED JOY RIDERS HELD BY POLICE

*Special to The News.*  
BEAUMONT, Texas, May 29.—V. R. Brown and Joe Davis, two young white boys were arrested here Wednesday night after police said they had borrowed an automobile belonging to J. R. Evans. In a report to the police department, Evans stated he had left the car in front of the Masonic hall here, and when he returned it was missing. Local officers found the boys driving the car about 2 o'clock this morning.

### JEFFERSON ROADS MODEL FOR BRAZORIA

*Special to The News.*  
BEAUMONT, Texas, May 29.—After making a complete inspection of all roads in Jefferson county, commissioners of Brazoria county announced yesterday that roads would be built there similar to the ones in this county.

In company with County Engineer Lowe, the visitors inspected all roads.

They then went to Orange for the purpose of inspecting the concrete

roads there, which is not topped with

charged with killing John Cromer on

asphalt.

Court Judge Johnson stated this morning that Jefferson county will soon have about 60 miles of concrete roads, all up to the standard and generally acknowledged to be among the best in the state.

### BEAUMONT GRADUATION EXERCISES TONIGHT

*Special to The News.*  
BEAUMONT, Texas, May 29.—Annual commencement exercises of the Beaumont High school will be held at the Kyle theater this evening when 164 graduates will receive their diplomas. Rev. S. S. McKinney, presiding elder of the Beaumont district, Methodist church, will address the graduates.

### NEGRESS ASKS \$60,000 IN DEATH OF HUSBAND

*Special to The News.*  
BEAUMONT, Texas, May 29.—Hearing in a damage suit of \$60,000 brought by Martha Bell, negro, against C. Flanagan and son, was started Wednesday in federal court. Tom Bell, longshoreman, was killed at the Beaumont docks in 1925 when a shovel struck him on the head. Attorneys for the defense are setting up the plea that the woman is not the lawful wife of Tom Bell and is not entitled to compensation.

### BEAUMONT RAISES TEACHERS SALARIES

*Special to The News.*  
BEAUMONT, Texas, May 29.—Teachers for the 1924-1925 session of city schools were named at a meeting of the school board yesterday. The salary of all teachers of elementary grade teachers remained the same, but it is understood that the salaries of high school teachers will be raised. Practically all teachers for the last term were employed again.

### THREE JEFFERSON APPEALS OVERRULED

*Special to The News.*  
BEAUMONT, Texas, May 29.—Deputy Clerk Joe Cottam received word from Austin this morning stating that the court of criminal appeals had overruled a motion for a new trial in three Jefferson county cases.

Lino Pedraza, Port Arthur, Mexico, must serve a 10-year sentence on a charge of rape.

Ed. Cunningham will serve a 10-year sentence for murder. He is

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## WACO MAN IS REDMEN'S CHIEF

50 Palefaces Initiated In Final Session.

A. F. Von Blon of Waco was elected Great Sachem of the Improved Order of Iledeens in Texas and Galveston was chosen as the convention city for the 1925 meet last night in final elections preceding the closing of the 1924 convention, in session here since Tuesday.

The final business session of the braves was held Wednesday night at Weller's auditorium on Fifth street. About 50 "pale faces" were initiated as full fledged tribemen. The Geromee drill team of Beaumont put in a team.

Two social events were enjoyed on the final night of the convention. The 50 officials and delegates attended a fish fry and party at McFadden's beach. A number of visiting braves not in an official capacity attended the dance at the Plaza given in their honor.

That the 25th annual convention just closed was one of the most successful ever held in Texas was the opinion of delegates last night. Praise for the manner in which local Redmen looked after the visitors and the hospitality extended by Port Arthur was expressed.

Following is the full roster of officers chosen at the meeting Wednesday:

Great Sachem, A. F. Von Blon of Waco; great senior sachem, W. J. Johnson of Houston; great junior sachem, Judge Wiley Bell of Dallas; great prophet, A. Ziegelmeyer of Galveston; great representative, D. O. Patton of Austin; great chief of records, R. E. Toppings of Hempstead; and great keeper of wampum, B. P. Wall of Grapevine.

**BIG PEP MEET  
IS YMBL PLAN**

Annual Election To Be Held In Near Future

The biggest entertainment and business meeting ever staged by the Young Men's Business League was planned this morning with a meeting of the membership committee at the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping rooms.

The occasion will be the annual election of officers and directors and will be in the near future, committee members state. The entertainment may be a barbecue or a picnic or something else but will be elaborate in every detail according to the committee. Another meeting to further plans for the event will probably be held again Friday morning. Those at the membership committee meeting today were Chairman, Ed Johannsen; W. R. Weatherill; J. F. Jackowitz and Secretary, C. H. DeBuk.

## LATEST NEWS FROM LOUISIANA TOWNS

**BATON ROUGE, La.—**The salt water shrimp bill by Representative Justice Young, Jr., David Towne and Alexander Young as they came and went to the side of the house where he was, Dr. X. A. Carlson testified that he found no evidence in the clothing of the oysters, which was re-committed to the committee on Representative Peter's motion. This followed an announcement last night by Representative Ellender of Terrebonne parish that he had discovered a fisher in the bill which would permit the taking of salt water shrimp all the year round. The purpose of the bill was understood, he said, to permit packing of shrimp caught in the Gulf of Mexico all the year round, claiming the present four months closed season on shrimp packing. Representative Morvant, of Lafourche parish, in supporting the motion to re-commit the bill to the committee, declared the bill as written would allow the larger canneries of shrimp to deplete the shrimp supply if permitted to fish shrimp all the year round in inland waters. Dr. Charles F. Gobek, of Gretna, and Robert Cooper, of Laffitte, both were in the legislature this week in the interest of the shrimp bill. Dr. Gobek declared the Louisiana packers should be allowed to can shrimp all the year round; and Mississippi packers are allowed to do so, but that Cooper desired to protect shrimp in inland waters.

**VILLE PLATTE, La.—**Delin R. Fontenot is on trial here charged with the murder of three men, all his distant relatives, at an Easter Sunday dance here. Josie B. Fontenot, at whose home the dance was held, was the most important witness for the prosecution. He described the scene at the dance, and told how Delin Fontenot returned late in the evening, apparently under the influence of alcohol, and shot his wife and two sons. The wife and one son died and the other son was severely wounded.

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of New Orleans, heads the organization.

**NEW ORLEANS, La.—**A well-stocked pen containing many guinea pigs in the rear of the government dispensary at Esplanade and North Peters street, was invaded by five boys this week and a number of guinea pigs removed. Complaints of theft of government property was lodged against the lads before U. S. Commissioner Brooks, following their arrest by Patrouille d'Armen.

**NEW ORLEANS, La.—**Police are追寻 Johnny, a young fight promoter. His wife, both Abrams and the police desire to see her about a diamond ring, valued at \$2,500, which disappeared with her.

**NEW ORLEANS, La.—**Closing of public dance halls, Acadia and Danecard, on a complaint that they constitute a fire menace in the business district, was ordered this week.

**DE RIDDER, La.—**C. R. Roberts, 20, suffered a fracture of his collar bone when a coupe in which he was driving skidded loose gravel on a highway near here and overturned. Roberts is employed at the Luling lumber company here. A companion in the automobile with him at the time of the accident escaped unharmed.

**CROWLEY, La.—**Two troops of Boy Scouts have been organized in this place within the past week.

Troop No. 1, under the leadership of Scoutmaster Rex Steidler, has 25 boys; and Troop No. 2, with 20 boys, has taken to the Monroe Training school to serve an indefinite term. All of the jewelry was recovered.

**LAFAYETTE, La.—**Wearing in regard to children under 15 years of age being allowed to drive automobiles has been sounded by Traffic Officer Albert Tiran. A city ordinance prohibits children operating automobiles in the city streets.

**LAKE CHARLES, La.—**This city has been selected as the 1925 convention city of Louisiana Grand Lodge of Louisiana, which closed its sessions at Alexandria. L. E. Bentley,

## SHEEPSKINS FOR COLLEGE GRADS

Rev. Rodgers to Deliver Commencement Address

The City-on graduates of Port Arthur College will be awarded diplomas at the commencement exercises at 4 o'clock this afternoon by Rev. W. M. Williams, president of the board of trustees of the college. The exercises will be held in the college chapel.

The Rev. C. W. Rodgers, minister of the First Methodist church, South, of Port Arthur, will deliver the commencement address to the graduates.

President Leonard Power said he hoped that a large crowd of parents, of the graduates, faculty members, students and former students, also would attend the exercises.

The following will receive diplomas:

Pearl Hatchett, Willard McCain, Lorena Kattner, Mrs. Duisy Wortham, Josephine Benoit, Carmen Welch, Merrey Evans, Cecil Smith, Isola Hill Buffkin, Myrtle Bowen,

two years ago in Lafayette parish, and officers are working to use this as a clue to other crimes which they believe Vidrine has committed. The aged mother of Vidrine has been prostrated since his arrest. In confessing to slaying the sheriff's son, Vidrine plead with officers that he be put in the penitentiary for life instead of hung "for the sake of his mother."

**DRY CLEANING**

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**Officers Seize 11 Gals  
Of Booze in Boat Raid**

Eleven gallons of corn liquor were seized yesterday evening in a raid conducted by W. M. Covington, chief of police; F. M. Williams and Detective A. L. Bennett on a houseboat said by officers to belong to Ed Gross, who was put under arrest on the charge of transportation and possession of liquor for the purpose of sale.

Several quarts of liquor were thrown overboard by Gross when he saw the officers approaching, they reported. He was ordered at the point of a gun to stop throwing the liquor and a search of the boat revealed the stored liquor, the police say. Federal charges were filed against Gross. He did not give away many tips morning. The liquor was brought to the police station by the officers.

**Prominent Oklahoman  
Gives Amazing Proof**



ME. CHAS. REED

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## A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

HEARKEN TO THY FATHER THAT BEGAT THEE, AND DESIPE NOT THY MOTHER WHEN SHE IS OLD.—PROV. 23:22.

## The Editorial Mind

*However, comon—*

Odds and Ends and Comment on Our Morning Mail

The first man arrested in New York City for buying liquor without a permit is fined \$50. The hand of the law clamped on his shoulder a few seconds after he received two pints of nosepaint in a drugstore.

Thereupon the federal authorities announced to New Yorkers that they henceforth will include liquor buyers as well as sellers in their drive against violators of the Volstead act.

If that system were enforced all over the country, jails would overflow with democracy—all the way from the panhandle “white-liner” to a host of plucky patriotic prominent citizens.

The customer, of course, incites the bootlegger to crime by furnishing the motive of the crime—profit. If any illicit traffic buyer and seller are equally guilty, ethically, at any rate?

Warren B. Wheeler, lawyer for the Anti-Saloon League, points with pride to the conviction of 34,067 people in 1923 for violations of the legislation called prohibition—rather a humorous name for it in some communities.

A bit of arithmetic shows that only one in about every 3000 of the population was convicted last year.

What percentage is this of the total of violators? So small you have to use microscopic fractions.

It's impossible entirely to prevent anything by law. “We have law against murder—but some 10,000 murders are committed in America every year. The very existence of a prohibitory law indicates the prevalence of the crime at which the law is directed.

The main purpose of any law is to punish crime.

Prevention is largely a matter of education. It is up to the individual. Compulsion restrains him only when the punishment is grave enough to strike terror to his heart.

This so-called prohibition problem is today, just what it has been since the fight agains liquor started—a matter of education rather than law enforcement.

As long as people want to drink, they'll be able to buy liquor—if they have the price. The real prohibition problem is thirst rather than quenching—buying rather than selling.

If the oncoming generation is prevented from acquiring the thirst, prohibition will succeed because there will be any need for it.

Nothing will ever take the place of iron. The nation that dominates the iron and steel industry dominates the world. That's true now; it will continue so.

Our country is producing 62 per cent of the world's iron output according to latest figures. That means we're exhausting our iron mines. And we have, underground, only 20 per cent of the world's iron ore. The leader is Brazil, with 23 per cent. Watch her—designed to be one of the five greatest world powers along with America, China, Australia and Russia.

R. W. Allen, millionaire businessman, missed his night train out of Boston to New York. So he hired a special train. Cost him \$127 for the trip.

Interviewed, he was astonished that the deal struck any one as extraordinary.

“Just wanted to get home, that was all.”

Senator Chas. L. McNary has been renominated by the Republicans of Oregon. He ran as a republican, he denounced all blocs, he refused to appeal to religious or racial prejudices and he won hands down over a candidate who had the support of all the blocs. Are the voters of Oregon growing weary of the bloc government?

## SULLIVAN FORECASTS A BEAUTIFUL DEADLOCK IN DEMO CONVENTION

Mark Sullivan, astute political prognosticator, predicts a beautiful deadlock in the national convention at Madison Square Garden with McAdoo and Smith the gladiators. This will be the first stage, according to Mark. It will be impossible to nominate either the Californian or the New Yorker.

Then the second stage will be ushered in with the Smith delegates going for the most part to Underwood and the McAdoo delegates seeking a candidate in the dark horse stables, should they fail to win with Samuel A. Ralston of Indiana.

Then Carter Glass and John W. Davis will fall heir to the divided delegations but in the end the Lord only knows and Mark is not in his confidence, who will be named to carry the standard of the democracy.

Senator Ralston of Indiana is sixty-eight. Should he be picked as the standard bearer the man who wins the vice-presidential nomination will be a centaur of expectations should the republicans go down in defeat in November. Why name a fat man with one foot in the grave?

## A VOICE FROM THE TOMB

Former Senator Gilbert M. Hitchcock of Nebraska, overwhelmed two years ago by the voters of the state, has come to life again. He holds the republican administration responsible for all western business failures, for the low price of wheat, for the slump of land prices in the northwest and for the Lord knows what else.

Wheat farmers of the northwest produced enormous surpluses every year since 1920. Russia and other European nations in their wheat production, came back. Argentina raised a huge crop every year. Canada raised sufficient wheat to supply the demands of Great Britain or rather the British Islands. American wheat prices slumped from \$2.95 in war time to less than a dollar in peace time. This former Senator and democratic editor never heard of the law of supply and demand.

There are thirty-seven wheat producing countries and their farmers are all busy. If there is a world surplus each year of four or four hundred million bushels of wheat, how will it be possible for the American wheat grower to obtain war prices for the so called king of grain?

## GAIN OF THIRTY BILLIONS

According to a bulletin issued by a big trust company the per capita wealth of France and Great Britain has shown little change as the result of the world war. There has been a gain of thirty billions in the wealth of America.

Per capita wealth of the United States today is \$2,090, against the per capita wealth of Great Britain amounting to \$1,489 and of France \$1,484 per capita. Twenty odd nations engaged in the world war. Their pre-war wealth was \$63,000,000,000.

Present wealth of these same nations is now estimated to be about \$319,000,000,000, the loss in the aggregate having been attributed chiefly to the losses suffered by Germany. Wealth of France before the war was a shade under sixty billion dollars and is estimated to be practically the same today. Pre-war wealth of the United States was 200 billion dollars and the additional wealth of Great Britain and France and Germany.

Patrick Henry started something when he said “Give me liberty or give me death.”

## LUCK IN ODD NUMBERS

Elsie Ferguson has acquired her third husband and this time it happens to be her stage villain. Elsie is thirty-eight, she admits it and she may be happy yet.

Her first husband was the son of a very rich man. He was dismissed. Her second husband was a very rich art collector. They could not agree. Her third husband is an English actor, as poor as a church mouse.

Elsie is an American. On the day following the wedding she instructed hubby to go to the court and take out his first papers declaring his intention of becoming an American citizen. Start 'em right and they go a long ways.

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## Quillen's Paragraphs

Fortunately men made the dictionaries. The last words are the hardest. Cupid has many sides, but none helps more than life in a boarding house.

The essential difference between a night gown and an evening gown is \$50.50.

Only a few can render great service to humanity, but anybody can dim his headlights.

Political convictions are things you find when you keep one ear very close to the ground.

Most of the geographies were made in pre-Volstead days. They call this the infancy of the creative spirit that exists in every man, from the time he plays with blocks as a boy until he finishes his life's work.

The Babylonian copper objects represent men and oxen. In addition to being art, they were intended as a history of accomplishment—main motive of which is vanity.

What country is the world's leading corn exporter? Guess again. Not America. It's Argentina. She's led us four years.

But she exports seven-tenths of her corn crop. We export a bit less, but actually grow more than three times as much as the rest of the world combined.

It isn't often that the leading producer doesn't dominate the world market in exports.

Cost systems in agriculture are getting on as scientific a basis as in manufacturing. The day's gone when the farmer kept his few records in a nail keg.

It's learned now, that about a third of the cost of producing wheat goes to man and horse labor. Fertilizer, binder twine, and seed take 16 per cent, threshing 3%. Interest on land and machinery investment absorbs 28 per cent. The balance goes for taxes, insurance, etc.

Correct this sentence: “I don't mind the income tax,” said he; “I am grateful enough to be making the money.”

## Maytime Madness



## HIS BROTHER'S WIFE

By RUDY AYRES  
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archly; but he did not seem to hear her.

## CHAPTER LIX

Mary is Dying

He was reading the sprawled hand-writing eagerly:

“Dear Mr. Bretherton—I suppose, as I have never seen you, I must not call you ‘David,’ though we are brother and sister. Poor Nigel told me so much about you that I really feel as if I know you, although we have never met.

“Well, you will guess by this that I am Dolly—his wife! I am writing to you because I have nobody else in the world to help me, and I am in great trouble.

“After Nigel died, I married again; I dare say, you know that by now; Mary Farnival would have been sure to tell you. She was kind to me, but she liked Nigel better than she ever did me. I have written to her several times since I left England, but she has only answered one of my letters. I suppose she was angry with me for marrying again: I am afraid you will be, too; but my husband begged me so hard—he was fond of me before ever I met your brother. I am telling you this frankly, in the hope that you will forgive and help me.

“Mary is here in her new home until Monty Fisher comes to David. Mary runs away. She meets an acquaintance, named Evans, who tells her that Nigel is searching for her. Mary is run over by a car and is taken to a hospital.

## NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

The nurse, a kind-faced, elderly woman, told Dolly that Mary's injuries were more serious than they had at first supposed.

“Her friends ought to be told,” she said, a trifle curtly. “If you know where they are, it is your duty to tell them.”

Evans answered with some show of temerity. He said he knew no more than she did, that he had no idea where she was living, or with whom.

“And you are no relation yourself?”

“None—I am only a friend.”

Her face softened in his voice and eyes.

“Well, I'm sorry,” she said more kindly. “Because I am afraid she is in a very bad way.”

“You mean that she will die?”

“Oh, I don't say that; but the doctor seemed very disatisfied this morning. Perhaps you can call again during the day.”

Evans said he certainly would do so; he went to the office with dragging steps.

He sat, neglecting his work, staring before him with worried eyes.

The girl typist who worked next to him asked once or twice what was the matter. Evans roused himself with a start.

“Nothing—noting.”

But he could not keep his mind on his work. Once, when he was taking down letters for Fisher, his mind wandered, and he forgot to answer Fisher spoke to him sharply.

“Where in the world are your thoughts, Evans?”

In the lunch-hour he raced back to the hospital.

Mary's condition was unchanged.

He dragged through the long day drearily, and evening saw him once more anxiously “influnting” for her. This time the answer was more grave.

“She is not so well.”

He went away, feeling horribly ill. As he did, the Brethertons would never forgive him. If she died, he could never be anything to him; he was laying out trouble for himself whatever he did.

He walked about the streets till it was quite late. He had had no tea, but that he forgot. He was anxious to find his stepson had been to Fisher's house. He found himself standing outside, staring up at its lighted window.

He walked past, and came back again reluctantly. Should he go in or not? He shrank from doing so, and yet...

He hesitated, with his eyes on the brass knocker, that gleamed in the light of a street lamp directly opposite.

Suddenly he squared his shoulders resolutely, walked up the steps to the front door, and rang the bell.

## CHAPTER LVIII

Found!

David Bretherton was in the drawing-room with Dora Fisher when the bell went pealing through the house.

He had spent a boring evening. Monty had had work to do, and was in his study; and David had been left to Dora's care.

She had done her best to get up a flirtation with him. She had sung sentimental songs one after the other in the drawing-room, where artfully shaded lights threw up her beauty to wonderful advantage.

David sat in a big chair in the shadows, and listened. At least, she supposed he was listening, but, as a matter of fact, his thoughts were far enough away.

Where was Mary? Daf and might thought of her, and wondered and worried.

Now and then, when the plaintive voice and music at the piano ceased, he roused himself with an effort, and said, “Thank you—thank you very much.” In an absent sort of voice.

Dora was piqued; she rose from the piano stool with a little petulant movement.

“I believe I have you; I don't believe you like music.”

David protested quickly that he did. He sat up a little from his lounging position, and tried to make conversation; but Dora was disengaged; she had expected a better reception from him; her evident effort to talk to her irritated her; she answered him shortly and ungraciously.

In her heart she was beginning to despair of ever making a compact of this man. It was her first failure, and she bitterly resented it.

What was he made of, she asked herself angrily, that he stood so aloof from her? She did not realize that when a man cares deeply for one woman all the wills and seductions of another will pass him harmlessly.

Perhaps both were really thankful when a diversion was created by the evening post; a maid brought the letters and gave them to Dora.

She sorted them through carelessly.

“Only one for you, David. It has been sent on from the Red Gazette.”

She looked at it curiously as she spoke; she handed it over to him with evident reluctance.

“May I open it?” asked David. His voice sounded more awake. He broke open the seal without waiting for permission.

Dora watched him covertly. She saw the quick little frown that creased his brow; the sudden start he gave.

“Anything exciting?” she asked.

You must keep going around to stay in the social circles.

## Dr. Frank Crane's Editorial

TAKIGANA

When the Japanese Exclusion Bill was reported to the Minister at Tokio, he is alleged to have said:

“Takigana.”

Which means, “I should worry.”

Most things do not amount to much and this matter of the Japanese exclusion is one of them.

The Senate and House of Representatives has been at great pains to wound the sensibilities and hurt the feelings of a powerful and friendly people.

A few weeks ago we asked for five million dollars to help them in their calamity when they had a bad earthquake.

War comes from very little causes on the surface. Anything will do as a pretext.

The mass of the German people still believe they were innocent and that the French and others were aggressors. This complex of fear and racial superiority is being carefully cultivated by the French in their dealings with Germany and contains the seed of the next war, if there is to be any, just as soon as Germany is ready.

A war between the Japanese nation and the United States of America is unthinkable. All wars are unthinkable until they occur.

California is doing its best to now

do as it pleases in regard to its own immigration problems.

But it is one thing to do as we please with dignity and firmness and quite another thing to make happy the people unto which we do it.

There are two causes of war. One is the superiority complex and the other is fear.

If we ever get to the point where we are superior to the world, we must realize that we are superior in blood and breeding to all other people, let the world beware.

Should we ever reach the point where we feel superior to other people, let them equally beware.

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# THE NEWS' SOCIAL AND HOUSEHOLD PAGE

## Closing Social Event Of Wednesday Whist Club Given At Drake Home

An attractively arranged affair of the week was the lovely buffet dinner and whist party last evening, given by Mrs. R. L. Drake and Mrs. Horton Drake at the handsome Drake home, Fourth and Woodworth boulevard. The charming hospitality was arranged in entertainment of the members of the Wednesday Whist Club, their husbands and additional friends.

Beautiful roses in artistic arrangements about the rooms gave an attractive setting for the evening's hospitality, and at 6:30 o'clock a tempting dinner was served buffet style. An after-dinner diversion the guests enjoyed several spirited games of whist with Mrs. Frank Imhoff scoring high and receiving the ladies' favor and Clifford G. Hall the gentlemen's prize. The second prizes were awarded to Mrs. G. L. Peichard and Joe Park and consolation prizes were cut by Mrs. S. O. Latimer and Frank Imhoff.

The personnel of the pleasing affair included Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Dickey, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford G. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Imhoff, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Park, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith, Mrs. W. N. McReynolds, Dr. and Mrs. M. F. Bleeker, Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Dodge, Mrs. J. E. Landis, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Latimer, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Peichard, Dr. and Mrs. Frank D. Mabry, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Peichard and Mr. and Mrs. John W. Teyor. Mrs. Horton Drake and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Drake

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### MRS. P. W. BABINEAUX ENTERTAINS CLUB

Mrs. P. W. Babineaux of 303 Thomas boulevard entertained the Rainbow Sewing Circle Wednesday afternoon. After an enjoyable afternoon of sewing, the guests were served with a tempting luncheon.

Those present were Mrs. S. O. Segars, Mrs. H. Gary, Mrs. A. Bouette, Mrs. O. Gary, Mrs. L. Stanchfield, Mrs. M. J. Gimels, Mrs. N. Thielot, Mrs. F. Brumard, Mrs. A. Pollin, Mrs. A. Hebert, Mrs. M. Castillo and Mrs. P. W. Babineaux. During the afternoon Mrs. Babineaux entertained the guests with several piano selections accompanied by Mrs. M. J. Goules on the violin and Mrs. F. J. Brouard on the guitar.

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### MRS. B. H. DAVISON LEAVES FOR VISIT

Mrs. B. H. Davison of 3200 Procter street left today for a visit with relatives in Thimble, Texas, and Spiro, Okla. Mrs. Davison will return in about six weeks.

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### THIMBLE CLUB ENTERTAINED

Mrs. H. C. Hardins graciously entertained the Thimble Club Tuesday afternoon at her home in the Model Addition. Punch was served during the afternoon, and needlework gave diversion. A dainty tea course was offered by the hostess as refreshment service.

Those enjoying the occasion were Mrs. H. C. Crawford, Mrs. C. H. Gundorph, Jr., Mrs. A. J. Gleckler, Mrs. O. M. Miller, Mrs. J. Ellender, and Mrs. H. K. Hincklin.

Next Tuesday afternoon Mrs. H. C. Crawford will entertain the club at 2 o'clock luncheon at her home in the Model Addition.

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### MRS. L. LUNDY REMOVED HOME

Mrs. Lillian Lundy, who underwent an operation at Mary Gates hospital was removed to the Port Arthur College dormitory yesterday. Mrs. Lundy is the matron of the dormitory.

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### The Tangle AN INTIMATE STORY OF INNERMOST EMOTIONS REVEALED IN PRIVATE LETTERS COPIED 1925—NEA SERVICE INC.

**LETTER FROM RICHARD SUMMERS TO BEATRICE GRIM-SHAW**

DEAR, DEAR, DEAR BEE: I laughed and, yes, dear, I cried over your letter. At least I felt my eyes grow wet at times. You are such a sincere, straightforward woman. I thought I had misread you before I received that letter, but now I know I never realized how much I missed you—how much you are to me.

Yes, son called the turn: I did smile when I read the first sentence in your letter, and I did say to myself: "Bee is always so serious about everything."

I cursed myself when you told me that I had hurt you so much in that horrible letter I wrote you. But you see, dear, I had gotten some queer ideas into my head—ideas which were very disturbing, which promised adventure and thrills galore; and I forgot for the moment that life is not a series of adventures and thrills, that in fact adventures and thrills are very few and far between for the average person, and that the woman who can make monotony into contentment is not only the sweetest woman in all the world, but the only one with whom one can be in peace and quiet.

Bee, I will not contradict that I have been very sick, as you say, infatuated with Paul Peeler. But I know now that infatuation is not love. I think I was attracted to her because in all that colony of easy conquests, Hollywood, Paul had the form of being unattractive.

Even you must know, Bee, that to a man the unattractive woman is always the woman that stirs his pride and touches his vanity. He likes to think of himself as a conqueror, and when Paula Peeler was kinder to me than perhaps any other of the men about her, I must say I was flattered. However, my dear, no man may ever expect to marry an artist and be happy. Man is too egotistical. If libations are poured, he wants some one else to do the pouring at a shrine which is erected before him. An artist must perform always think about her.

### Mrs. George Entertains 500 Club

### Advice to the June Graduate Never a Time When Profession Needs More Gifted Men Than Now, Says Untermeyer

(NOTE)—This is the second of a series of articles giving valuable hints to this year's graduates and written especially for The News by American leaders in their respective fields.

By SAMUEL UTERMAYER

Leading Member of the American Bar

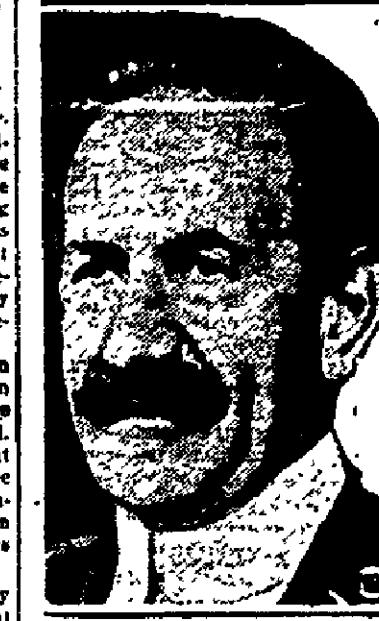
I am of the opinion that the qualifications required for success in the practice of the profession of law are now of such a specialized and exacting character that if it applied to business activities they would lead to a greater measure of material success. It requires a rare combination of ability and opportunity for exceptional success in our profession.

I would not advise a young man or woman to enter the profession without a thorough education, rag industry and a keen analytical mind.

A young man or woman without social or business ties or influence that would secure him or her business is not likely to earn more than a bare living for the first five years after graduation.

These enjoying the afternoon were Mrs. Arthur Wolford, Jr., Mrs. Arthur Wolford, Sr., Mrs. Sidney Wolford, Mrs. J. J. Billings, Mrs. Phillip Rogers, Mrs. E. C. Kuhlmann, Mrs. Kemps of Morgan City, La., Mrs. Albert Krohn, Mrs. Guy Hulston, Mrs. T. P. Fleming, Mrs. T. S. Tyson, Mrs. H. Schuhmacher, Mrs. P. Gentil, Mrs. O. Landis and Mrs. George George.

Next Monday afternoon Mrs. Guy Hulston will entertain the club at her home, 1709 Ninth street, at 2:30 o'clock.



UTERMAYER

### I. C. C. TO HEAR

(Continued from Page 1)  
ficiente of necessity and convenience by Col. R. C. Duff, seeking to build an extension of the W. B. T. and S. railway from Livingston to Port Arthur. Hearing on the case was recently held at Austin, when the K. C. S. entered a protest and denial that any inadequacy existed.

K. C. S. Rates Criticized  
Replying to the inquiry as to whether I feel that the field of the law is too crowded: "I can only repeat the old adage that there is plenty of room at the top, in the law as in all other professions, but that the profession is greatly overcrowded with mediocrities."

So far as concern opportunity, there never was a time when there were greater opportunities in my profession for gifted men—of industry—than at present. In the city of New York there is a terrible famine of well-grounded trial lawyers, especially for the trial of jury cases. The flower of the bar has been drawn away by the temptations of money-making from the high highly paid clerks or aids to financiers to keep the latter prayerfully within the law.

To those who are familiar with the high character and splendid attainments of the dozen or more giants who practice at the trial bar in the last generation, by comparison with the names who now pass muster at our bar as "leading trial lawyers," the situation is disheartening. Judged by the standards set by such men as William H. Evans, Joseph H. Choate, William Fullerton, Robert Seawell, Harold K. Porter and a score of others that might be named, all of whom were compensated, there is not an outstanding trial lawyer at the New York bar today. Here lies the great opportunity for the right man.

WOODMEN CIRCLE TO MEET TONIGHT  
Committees from the Woodmen Circle and the W. O. W. will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the hall in Hartford building for the purpose of completing arrangements for the fish fry Sunday at the beach.

All members of the Woodmen Circle are urged to be in attendance at tonight's meeting so that those who have no means of transportation to the beach may be accommodated. All members of the two organizations, their families and friends are invited to participate in the outing.

TOMORROW—Banking.  
MAYFIELD PROBERS TO HEAR PEDDY WITNESSES

WASHINGTON, May 29.—Witnesses called by attorneys for George H. B. Peddy, who is contesting the seat of Senator Mayfield of Texas to corroborate the testimony of E. Y. Clarke, former Imperial warden of the Ku Klux Klan that the Klan spent much money in Texas to elect Mayfield will be questioned by the senate investigating committee today.

FLIPS COIN, LOSES IT, WEDS TWO, JAILED

NEXT YORK, May 29.—Last spring Miss Ida Mae and Sibyl Garner of Galveston are visiting their cousin, Mrs. Walter Monroe and family of 2325 Fifth street. Miss Ida Mae has been teaching expression in the schools of Murfreesboro, Ark., and Miss Sibyl has been teaching public school music and art in Longview, Texas.

MISS AND MRS. FREEMAN RETURN FROM HOUSTON

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Freeman have returned from Houston where they have been at the bedside of S. T. Shrock who is very ill.

EASTERN STAR ELECTS OFFICERS

Miss P. E. Gifford was elected worthy matron of the Eastern Star at Tuesday evening session of the G. I. S. at the Masonic hall.

Other officers elected to serve with Mrs. Gifford are Mrs. O. F. Spence, assistant worthy matron; Elliott Harle, worthy patron; Mrs. E. P. Butterworth, secretary; Mrs. Laura McFarland, treasurer; Mrs. S. E. White, conductor, and Mrs. Milton Goss, assistant conductor.

Other officers will be appointed by Mrs. Gifford and all of the officers will be installed on June 10. W. H. Telfair will act as installing officer at the installation service. Following

### NURSERY PICNIC AT PARK FRIDAY

#### Troop 16 to Put on Demonstrations

Securing Port Neches park for all day Friday, the Port Arthur Day Nursery will hold a public picnic and Port Arthurians planning an outing are urged to attend the events in the park. E. H. Clements, Scoutmaster of Troop 16, which is putting on athletic events and demonstration, said today:

Plenty of eats, cold drinks, barbecue, field days morning and evening for the Boy Scouts and the "grown-ups" attending are among the features arranged. Scoutmaster Clements said, outlining the events planned for climbing a greased pole for a one dollar bill pinned on top; chasing a greased pig; three-legged races, potato races, pony and ante-lope races.

A baseball game will be played in the afternoon, and the 11th Engineers band will give a concert from 1 until 4 o'clock in the afternoon to be followed by a short address by Robert A. Shirey, Port Arthur attorney, according to plans made today. Prizes will be awarded to the winners in the various races, tug-of-war and other games the adults and boys competing.

The admission price will be \$1 for adults and 50 cents for children. Clements said, "The Boy Scouts of Troop 16, who are to assist with the picnic, have been called to meet Friday morning at 7:30 o'clock at St. George's Episcopal church to start immediately for Port Neches. All of the stands for soft drinks and other concessions will be presided over by the Boy Scouts. Scoutmaster Clements said.

K. C. S. Rates Criticized

Doubling this claim by the K. C. S., the Transannals has announced its intention of abandoning Port Arthur as a port of call, claiming K. C. S. rates on joint hauls made it impossible to compete for business. The line then moved to Beaumont. Claims were made that on short hauls between the K. C. S. demanded, in instances cited, more than half the freight for 20 miles, haul on cars loaded at Houston, 80 miles away.

That Beaumont Chamber of Commerce is sending its traffic manager and the Orange chamber its general manager to the Washington hearing as intervenors for the Transannals end, the local chamber will be represented by a member of the office personnel has not been determined by the board of directors.

"If Port Arthur is ruled against in favor of Beaumont in the hearing coming up June 14, it will be hard to overcome. Every effort to secure a ruling against the Transannals company should and will be made by the traffic department here," Taylor said today.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

BUTTER—Pounds, extra 23¢; standard, 22¢; first, 21¢; second, 20¢.

EGGS—Receipts, 16,332; ordinances, 21,032; first, 21,032.

POTATOES—Western 1212, ex-dry, Industrial Alcohol 64.

UNION PACIFIC 12.

U. S. Steel 332, up 4.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, May 29.—Foreign exchange opened lower.

Demand Sterling 31.22.

France 5.82.

Belgium 4.12.

Marks 4,210,000,000,000 to the dollar.

NEW YORK LIBERTY BONDS

U. S. Liberty, 21¢, up 2¢.

S. S. Liberty, 21¢, up 2¢.

A. S. Liberty, 21¢, up 2¢.

INDIA 1212, up 2¢.

TURKEY 29, up 2¢.

RUSSIA 1212, up 2¢.

CHINA 1212, up 2¢.

LEBANON 1212, up 2¢.

EGYPT 1212, up 2¢.

EGYPTIAN 1212, up 2¢.

## FIVE VESSELS REACH PORTS

Only One, Schooner Blakely, Sails

Vessels inward bound features shipping today, five ships coming into Sabine district ports, and two others scheduled to arrive at the Union Sulphur company's terminals at Sabine while only one ship, the schooner Blakely, loaded with case oil at the Texas Company's port Arthur.

The steamship Liberty Bell was scheduled to shift from Beaumont to Port Arthur this afternoon to take bunker fuel at the Gulf Refining company's terminal and sail at daylight Friday for Mediterranean ports.

The Italian cargo ship Isonzo, plying between Orange and Mexico in regular service, arrived today and went up the canal before 9 a. m. bound for Orange. The vessel is scheduled to load out at the Lutcher-Moore lumber company's Orange terminal.

Bringing in a cargo of Mexican crude oil for the Texas Company's Port Neches terminals, the tanker Derbyline will discharge cargo there and shift to the Atlantic Refining company's terminals to load out with cargo for Philadelphia. The Derbyline is a Texas Company tanker, and will top off at the Texas Company's Port Arthur terminals before sailing for the north Atlantic port.

ARRIVED MAY 29

Vessel, Flag, Tonnage, Agent, Location

Radioline (Fr.), 2705, from France to Beaumont Chas. Martin company.

Derbyline (Fr.), 4308, from Tampico to Port Neches Texas Company.

Clearwater, 3058, from New Orleans to Port Arthur, Lykes-Splitovich.

Isonzo (Ital.), 3428, from Mexico to Orange, Standard Export company.

Carrier, 2859, from Tampico to Port Arthur, Gulf company.

SAILED MAY 29

Sch. Blakely, 659, from Port Arthur for West Indies Texas Company.

Liberty Bell, 3452, from Beaumont for Port Arthur, Sydney C. Collin company.

IN PORT ARTHUR

Coastwise Docks

Surco, 2174 Transmarine corporation

**LIBERTY THEATRE**

Open 10 a. m. to 11 p. m.

TODAY ONLY

William Desmond

In—

THE BREATHLESS

MOMENT

LEO MALONE in

"LARAMIE AND ME"

LARRY SEMON in

"LIGHTNING LOVE"

FRIDAY—SATURDAY

Hoot Gibson in

'A RIDE FOR LIFE'

Texas Company Docks  
Illinoia, 2024, Texas Company,  
Manor, 2367, Lykes-Splitovich.  
Aryan, 3124, Texas Company,  
Charwater, 3038, Lykes-Splitovich.  
Gulf Company Docks  
Galveston, 4028, Gulf company,  
Hillside, 4048, Gulf company,  
Henry Deutch Co. of New York (Br.),  
Carroll, 2828, Gulf company,  
Liberty Bell, 3452, Sydney C. Collin company,  
Atlantic Company Docks  
W. M. Irish, 3354, Atlantic company.

AT PORT NECHES

Derbyline, 4308, Texas Company.

AT ORANGE

Sch. Isabel G. Harris, 188, W. H. Tippin company.

Sch. Roseway, 244, Lutcher-Moore lumber company.

Island (Italy), 3228, Standard Export company.

AT BEAUMONT

Sch. Mabel Gale, 610, Gulf Export and Transportation company.

Capena (Italy), Chas. Martin company.

Southseas, 1612, Hall Shipping company.

Rolf (Dan.), 1202, Hall Shipping company.

Radioline (Fr.), 2205, Chas. Martin company.

BAROMETER READING

The corrected reading of the barometer (reduced to sea level) at the U. S. weather bureau office in Port Arthur, Texas, on Thursday, May 25, at 7 a. m., was 29.87 inches. This closely approximates 70.87 millimeters.

TIDE REPORT

The tide in the ship canal at Port

**PEOPLES THEATRE**

NOW PLAYING

"SHADOW OF THE EAST"  
By E. M. HULL

A story of the Orient, its love and mysteries.

**PEARCE THEATRE**

NOW THRU SATURDAY

"DAUGHTERS OF TODAY".

With their jazz and joy rides and a lot of real courage underneath.

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TODAY and TOMORROW

"3 MILES OUT"

With MADGE KENNEDY

**Garden Airdome**  
**T-O-N-I-G-H-T**

**LADIES FREE**

FERGUSON BROS. PRESENT

**"LENA RIVERS"**

—PRICES—

20¢  
&  
40¢

Present This Coupon  
This coupon and 40¢  
will admit one lady  
and escort or two  
ladies, to Garden  
Airdome  
Thursday, May 29th

Arthur, Texas, Thursday, May 25, at 8 a. m., according to the reading of the U. S. engineer's gauge, was 12 (one and two-tenths) foot.

**POSITION REPORTS**  
Reports on ship's positions received by the Gulf Refining company's Port Arthur radio station Thursday are reported today as follows:

The day, 8 a. m. Wigiff, west-northwest, Elginport, 100 miles south-southeast, Port Arthur.

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**Tom Gibbons, America's Boxing Ace, Will Handle French Idol's 'Leaping Right' With Ease When Pugs Meet Saturday**

# American Ring Ace Has Much to Win in Saturday's Battle

## French Idol Will Lose to Gibbons

**Hero of Shelby Too Clever for European Heavyweight, and Should Win Over Georges Carpenter in Six Rounds**

By BILL ARCHER  
The News Sport Editor

**TOMMY GIBBONS**, perhaps the greatest living exponent of ring generalship, will whip Georges Carpenter in short order. The fight may go the full limit of 10 rounds when the two pugilists get together in Michigan City Saturday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. (Port Arthur time), but Carpenter will be a beaten man long before the sixth round comes up.

The French idol met his Waterloo July 2, 1921, at Jersey City. N. J. when the lion, Jack Dempsey socked him to the land of nod in the fourth stanza of a never-to-be-forgotten ring scrap that sent millions of fight-hungryistic fans howling over the world in frenzy. Carpenter will no doubt show the effects of the punchline Dempsey administered when he faces America's foremost scientific boxer, just as he showed the effects of it when he met Bat Siki, the Senegalese, some time since.

Carp Railed a Howl!

Carp raised a furious howl, it is recalled, soon after the colored gent had drubbed him and round the universe rang the cry of "fake," "fake." But just as the village folk discovered in the mythical yarn of the sheepherder ages past, when the shepherd howled "wolf," "wolf!"—there was no "wolf," and neither was there a "fake" Siki, a commission of European gents discovered after due deliberation, had won on the square, irrespective of Carpenter's charges.

Carp was simply suffering from the effects of a beating administered in "Sheep City."

Gibbons met that fighter in Shelby, Mo., and holds the record of being the only living boxer, who ever went the full course with Jack the Giant Killer, since that erstwhile gentleman of Flanders has annexed the world's heavyweight title. Contrary to Jack's ideas, Gibbons didn't fight a defensive battle; he was quite as aggressive as the champion, and while Dempsey now comes to the front with the statement printed several days ago throughout America that Gibbons "didn't open up" for fear of getting clobbered, and that he failed to fight anything but a defensive attack, this writer recalls vividly the opinions of 25 sport scribes a good dozen of which are considered the country's leading sports critics, who differed considerably with the champion, and who at the time of the Shelby fight, gave it all to Tommy.

Dempsey landed on Carpenter's jaw at will; he didn't land on Gibbons' mug often because he couldn't find it often, and we recall how those writers who sat at the ringside in Shelby recounted that Gibbons was making the champion miss the blow he directed it, quietly.

Carpenter may be more than the shell he was when he faced Batt Siki; he may be even stronger, but he hasn't been in better condition than when he battled the champion, for he hasn't trained so long. He went four rounds with Dempsey; Gibbons went 15.

Carpenter has a bad habit of taking an early horizontal position on the resiliency floor; Gibbons has yet to be knocked off his feet.

It is hardly plausible to conceive that Carp would get a decision over Tommy if they went the limit, and this writer doesn't believe they'll go that far.

Gibbons isn't considered by eastern promoters as good for two mills; Tom Gibbons has already been considered for one with Dempsey, and later for one with Carpenter, and later for one with Dempsey.

We don't believe Tom Gibbons' side knock Jack Dempsey out, but we do believe that with an unbiased referee, and the fight staged in the huge arena in Gotham's Madison Square Garden where points could decide a rictor that should Gibbons and Dempsey ever meet again, and go the full limit of their fight, the world would have a new heavyweight champion.

### EAST TEXAS LEAGUE

Tyler	19	12
Paris	11	8
Andrews and Kitchens; Brown and Edwards	11	8

Marshall	4	6
Mid-Pleasant	11	8
Cleburne; Daddough and Shaffer; Phillips and Trammell	11	8

Sulphur Springs	2	1
Texarkana	2	1
Forrest and Heath; Gibson and Harper	2	1

Greenville	12	1
Boggs and Robertson; Burleson and Wopley	12	1

TEXAS ASSOCIATION	11	8
Temple	5	1
Corpus Christi	5	1
Germania and Van; Clair, Nugent and Hudspeth	5	1

Mexia	2	11
Austin	2	11
Scott and Henderson; Jeffries and Fowlers	2	11

Marlin	8	7
Waco	7	7
Goldsmith and Humphreys; Gressett and Pipkin	7	7

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### Sport Card

#### HOW THEY STAND

Team League	G	W	L	Pct.
Club	16	12	12	.500
Dallas	29	12	17	.413
Houston	11	20	5	.519
Indians	29	13	16	.441
Wichita Falls	29	13	16	.441
Galveston	29	13	16	.441
Others	15	3	12	.200
American League	6	1	5	.167
Club	6	1	5	.167
Boston	22	12	10	.545
New York	22	12	10	.545
Pittsburgh	22	12	10	.545
Washington	22	12	10	.545
Cleveland	22	12	10	.545
Philadelphia	22	12	10	.545
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New York	22	12	10	.545
Cincinnati	22	12	10	.545
Brooklyn	22	12	10	.545
St. Louis	22	12	10	.545
Philadelphia	22	12	10	.545

### ALL IS READY FOR BIG RACE

**Weather Man Only Fellow Not Prepared**

INDIANAPOLIS, May 29.—Everybody except the Weatherman was ready today for the start of the 500-mile international auto race at the Indianapolis speedway tomorrow. Drivers made their last trial runs and placed the machines in the garages for final adjustments.

Race fans began arriving by hundreds in a downpour of rain that showed no signs of letting up.

The most encouraging word the weather bureau held out was "probably unsettled Friday."

Two more cars were qualified yesterday, bringing the number of certified starters up to 22.

L. L. Correa qualified the last of the Dusenbergs at 92.7 miles an hour,

while Fred Harden put the third

Barnes Warnock through an 82.77

miles per hour pace.

**EXPORTERS TAKE 9 TO 7 BALL GAME**

**ST. LOUIS** shut out Chicago in the first game to 0, but four Cleveland pitchers were ineffective in the second battle and the White Sox won 13 to 6.

**SHUTS OUT CHICAGO**

CLEVELAND, May 29.—Joe

Shantz shut out Chicago in the first

game to 0, but four Cleveland

pitchers were ineffective in the second battle and the White Sox won

13 to 6.

**FIRST GAME**

Score by Innings—R. H. E.

Boston ..... 100 000 000—1 5 0

Philadelphia ..... 000 000 002—2 2 2

Chicago ..... 000 000 000—0 0 0

Quinn and O'Neill; Meeker and Perkins.

**SECOND GAME**

Score by Innings—R. H. E.

Boston ..... 100 000 000—1 5 0

Philadelphia ..... 000 000 000—0 0 0

Grimes and Taylor; Bender, Ryan and Snyder.

**WIN ONE, LOSE ONE**

ST. LOUIS, May 29.—Dusk weak-

ened after a good start and the Car-

dinals dropped the second game of

their double header with the Cincin-

nati Reds 3 to 2, after Sothoron

had turned in a 6 to 0 shutout in

the opener.

**FIRST GAME**

Score by Innings—R. H. E.

Atlanta ..... 000 000 000—0 0 0

Memphis ..... 000 000 000—0 0 0

Blankenship; McWeener, Connally and Crouse; Shantz and Walters.

**SECOND GAME**

Score by Innings—R. H. E.

Chicago ..... 020 121 240—13 16 0

Cleveland ..... 000 000 000—0 0 0

Leicester, Robertson, Lyons and D. Anderson. (Six Innings Rain.)

**SHARE HONORS**

WASHINGTON, May 29.—New

York and Washington split a double

header, New York winning the first

game 7 to 4 and Washington 9 to 6.

Hoyt outpitched the second local mainstay in the opening

encounter. In the closing contest Zachary held the visitors at bay.

**DETROIT WINS ONE.**

DETROIT, Mich., May 29.—Breaking even on the first double

header at home this senior Detroit

won the first game from St. Louis

4 to 3 and was shut out in the sec-

ond 7 to 0.

**LONG-MATCHED WITH THORPE FOR TITLE**

EL PASO, Texas, May 29.—Ray

Long, welterweight champion of

the Southwest, and Harvey Thorpe

of Kansas City, were matched by the

Juarez bull ring fight syndicate for a

15 round bout in the Juarez bull ring

June 8 for the welterweight champion

of the Southwest.

**THE GRADUATE STURDEETEX**

**Give the Graduate STURDEETEX**

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**New Treatment For Varicose or Swollen Veins**

Swollen veins are dangerous and often burst. Sufferers are advised to

get a two-ounce, original bottle of

Emerald Oil (full strength), at Hart

Drug Co., and Service Drug Store,

Corner Drug Co., and City Drug Com-

pany and start to reduce the veins and bunches at once.

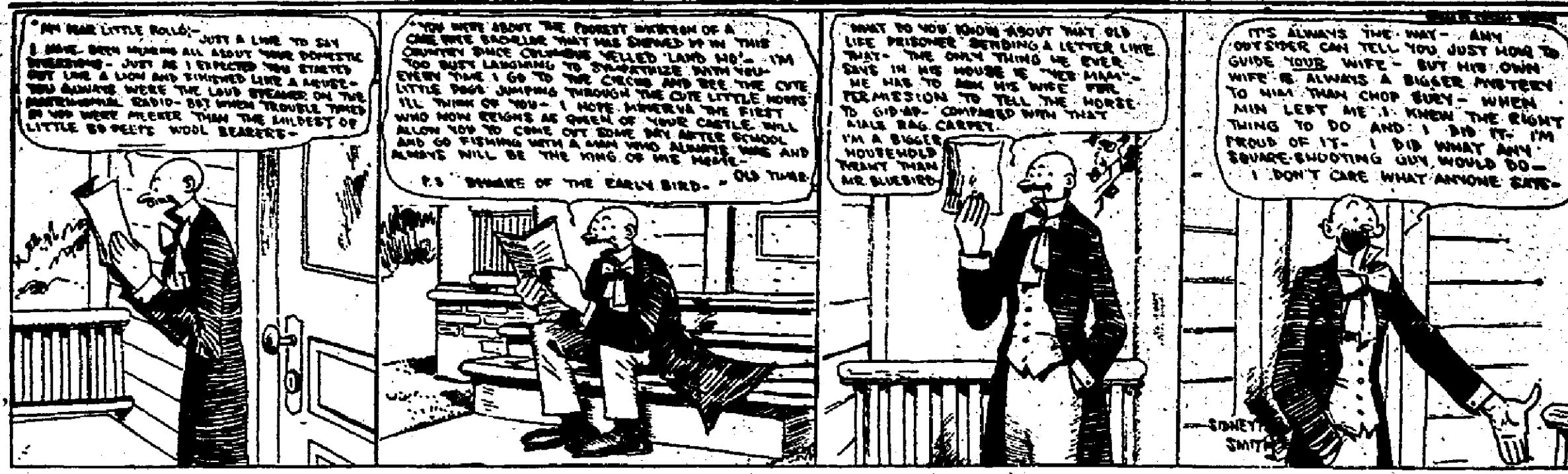
Physicians recommend Emerald

Oil; it is used in hospital practice

and a small bottle will last a long

time, because it is very concentrated

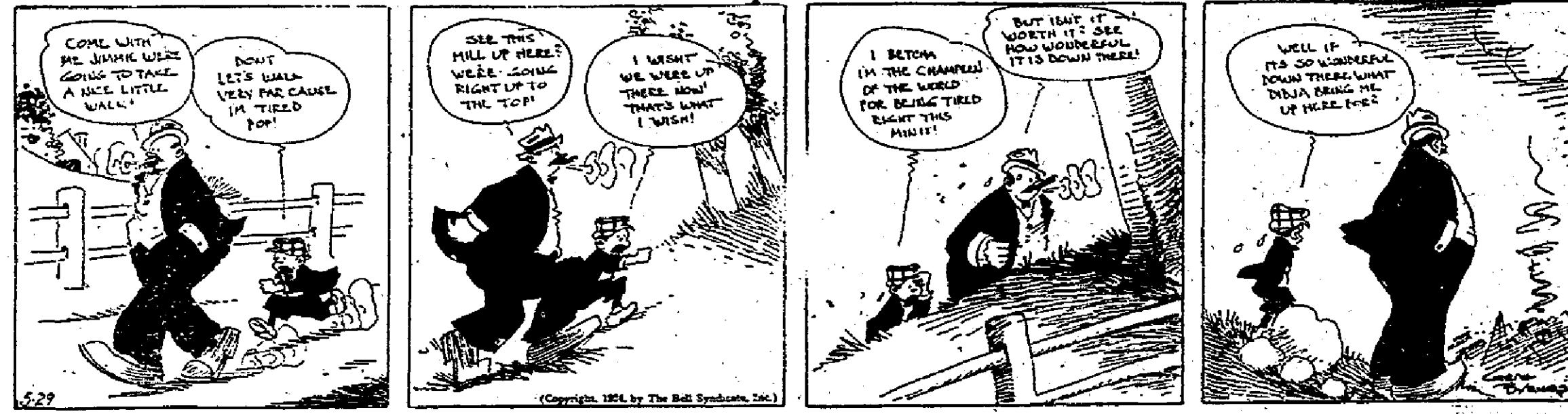
## THE GUMPS—A LETTER FROM OLD TIMER



REG'LAR FELLERS

It's All-in the Point of View

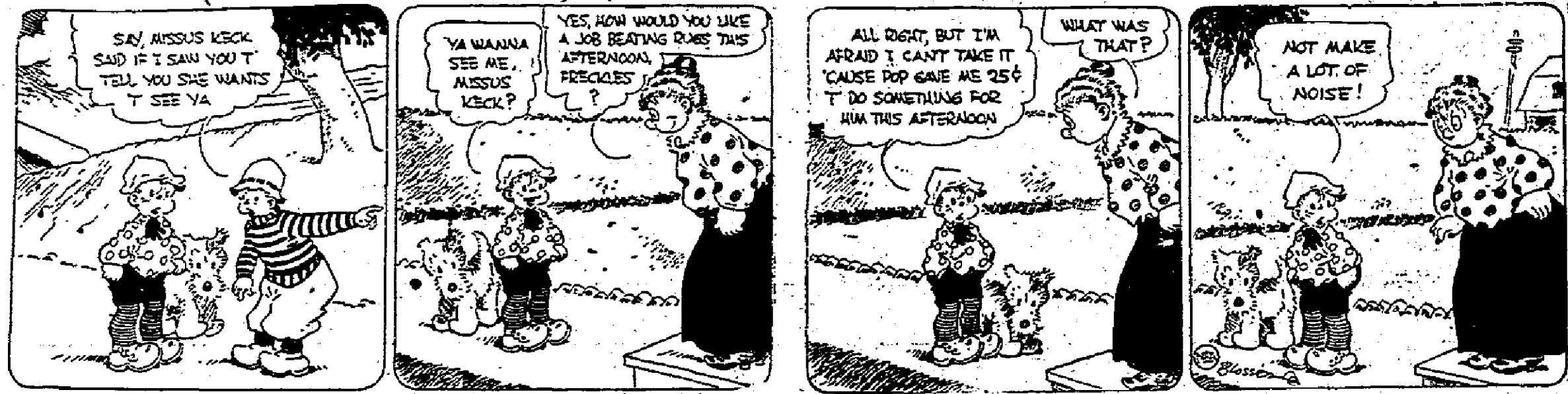
By GENE BYRNES



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Letting Himself Out

By BLOSSER



SALESMAN SAM

Hee-Haw

By SWAN

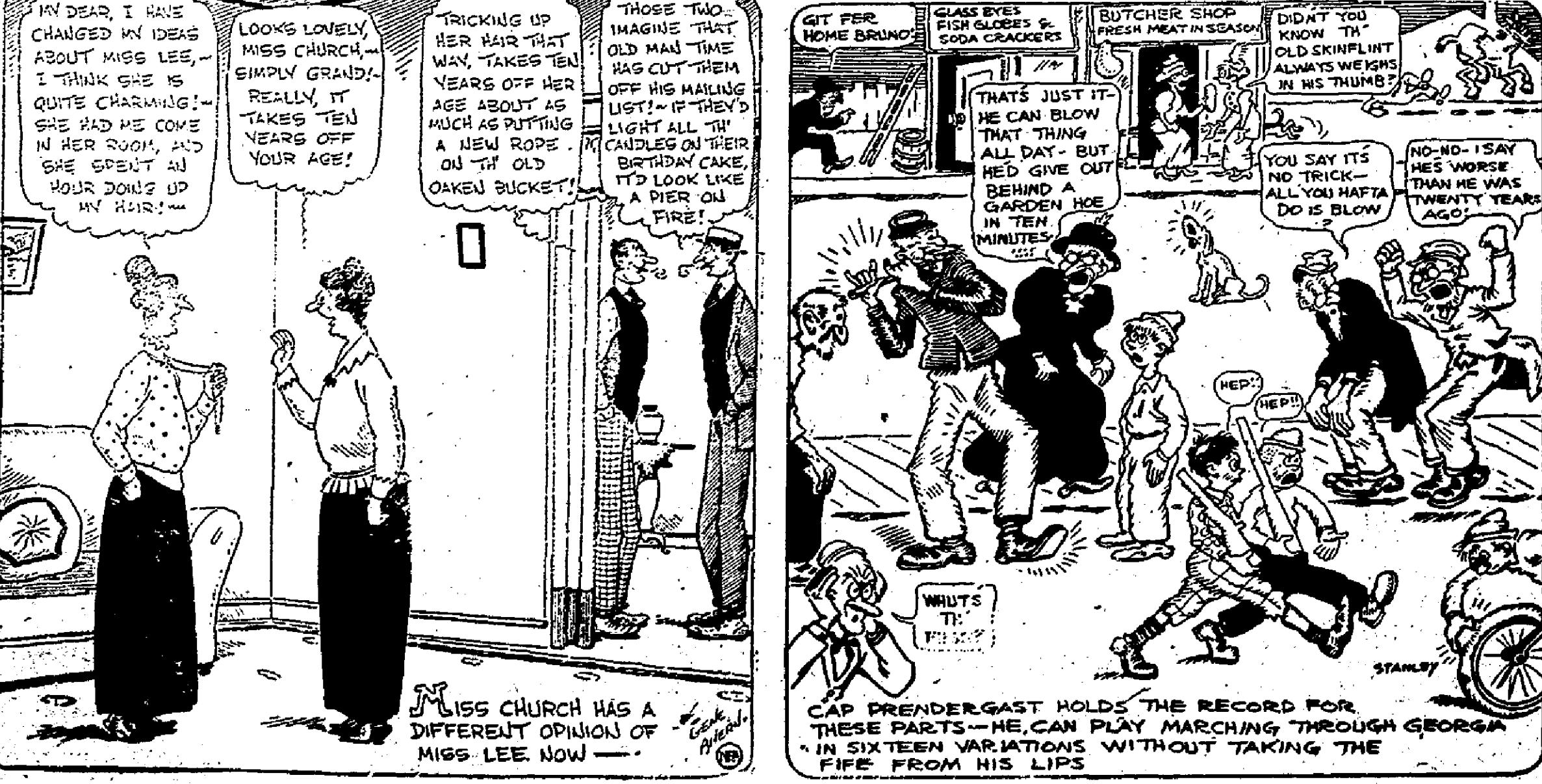


OUR BOARDING HOUSE

BY AHERN

THE OLD HOME TOWN

By STANLEY



CAP PRENDERGAST HOLDS THE RECORD FOR THESE PARTS—HE CAN PLAY MARCHING THROUGH GEORGIA IN SIXTEEN VARIATIONS WITHOUT TAKING THE FIFE FROM HIS LIPS

## ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

By OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON



"Good morning," he cooed in a hoarse voice.

Mister Crow opened the door of Mister Bagg's little store in the woods and hopped in.

"Good morning," he cawed in a hoarse voice, but he looked more as though he meant, "Bad morning."

"Good morning," said Nancy and Nick and Mister Bagg all together. "How are you, Mister Crow?"

"Poohy," answered Mister Crow. "Poohy. Can't sleep—can't eat, can't do anything. It's a hard cold world, so it is."

"Why, what's wrong, Mister Crow?" asked Nancy. "You must have stuck the wrong foot out of bed first this morning."

"Oh, you can make jokes if you want to," said Mister Crow gloomily, "but I tell you it's a hard, cold world."

And nothing they could say did one bit of good. All that Mister Crow would do was sit in the middle of the floor and say it was a hard, cold world.

"Something must have happened to make the poor fellow look so dismal," said Mister Bagg. "I'll have to find out what it is and cheer him up a bit."

"How's your rheumatism, Mister Crow?" he asked cheerfully. "Better, I hope."

"Yes, it's better," said Mister Crow gloomily.

"And how's your family?"

"All right."

"Able to sit up and take a little nourishment," said Mister Bagg, laughing at his own joke.

Suddenly Mister Crow straightened up. "Nourishment!" he exclaimed.

## CHILD'S STORY OF THE HUMAN RACE

By Uncle RAY

rough from their life in the wilds. They liked to ride on horseback, but thought it a disgrace for a man to ride in a "pleasure-carriage."

So it was that disputes arose as to whether carriages should be used. In the end carriages went out of fashion for men. Women, on the other hand, kept up their use.

Our picture shows a woman being driven in a two-wheeled carriage. This picture was made more than a thousand years ago. The woman was probably the wife of some noble. The driver holds an odd-looking whip.

Some carriages were four-wheeled. Mules and oxen were driven as well as horses.

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A two-wheeled carriage in Frankland more than a thousand years ago.

## Color Cut-Outs

At the Rodeo

back she was dressed as a little milkmaid, swinging a shiny pail.

"Now," directed Mack, who was running the rodeo, "you're supposed to have come here from the rodeo with Daring Dick. You put on your milkmaid clothes and go out to milk the cows. While you're doing that, up rises the villain."

Polly wore a red dress and a white sunbonnet. Now watch the villain of the show tomorrow.

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## FEAR GOLDEN EAGLES

SEWARD, Alaska, May 28.—An invasion of golden eagles along the Alaskan coast has put fur farmers on their guard. The eagles are now actively engaged in chasing rabbits, but blue fox puppies may be the next prey of the huge birds, it is feared.

## REFERENCE REQUIRED

JACK—I lend me 10 dollars, old man. I promise you on the word of a gentleman to pay it back tomorrow.

SIR RATE—Bring the gentleman around and let me see him.—American Legion Weekly.

## FOUR YEARS OF CHESS

LONDON, May 28.—An international chess match, played by correspondence between members of the New York and London bars, has just ended in a draw. The first move was made four years ago.

The sale of foreign newspapers and books, it is said, has been forbidden at Serbian railway stations.

Capital punishment has been abolished in Austria, Holland, Norway, Portugal, Italy, Hunan and Sweden.

The Cut-outs were busily "shooting" the next scene in their movie, "Belle of the Plains." Polly, who was leading lady, had to run home to change her dress. When she came

# TWO SCHOOLS TO GRADUATE 212

**Franklin and DeQueen Exercises Tonight.**

Franklin school will graduate 120 students at the commencement exercises to be held at 8 o'clock tonight at the Franklin School auditorium while at the same time 82 DeQueen students will receive diplomas at graduation exercises at DeQueen school.

Programs consisting of addresses, musical numbers, orations, invocations and benedictions will be given at the commencement exercises by faculty members, students and parents of various Port Arthur churches.

The following graduates of Franklin school will receive diplomas:

Adelpha, Virginia; Bailey, Edith; Bean Harry; Berlin, Marie; Butterworth, Helen; Caulfield, Grant; Carroll, J. M.; Conner, Angie; Crenas, Josie; Davis, Alva; Fawcett, Anna; Bell, Frenzley, Susie; Gandy, Hattie; Gardner, Junior; Gillard, Cleopatra; Green, Marie; Henry, Helen; Horwitz, Miriam; Hunt, Katherine; Johnson, Clara; Kerin, Turner; LeBlanc, Jessie; Matthews, Ruth; Meyers, Flora; Moreau, Lawrence; Newson, Lucille; Pine, Myrtle; Pitt, Roy; Shanno, Boyd; Singletary, Malvina; Temple, Johnnie; Tenney, Alfred; Thompson, Grace; Tyman, Robert; Womack, McElroy; Wiener, Frieda; Wunderle, Ethel.

Barrino, Olive; Bock, Willie Mae; Bridges, Jarrell; Broussard, Ethel; Carmichael, Wilmet; Cedars, James; Chabon, Alcezona; Fisher, Roberta; Godard, Edna; Guy, Ruth; Hanchett, Arlene; Hebert, Jane; Justice, Beauleah; Loeffler, Bertha.

Mazie Ande, McCall, Cleo; McFarland, Adelene; McNeill, W. L.; Lundquist, Mary Frances; Rhodes, Emily; Sonner, Annie; Summer, Helen; Tillie, Jewel; Vickers, Jack; Webster, Eddie; Wilson, Emily; West, Verda; Wilson, Jewel.

Ananay, Louise; Bagelman, Jule; Bates, Kyle; Carnahan, Harold; Carothers, John; Crenshaw, Agnes; Diamond, Birdie; Ferrel, Francis; Fleckle, Alvin; Hardin, Katie; Hartman, Gertrude; Borel, Beulah; Broussard, Irene; Hyland, Thelma; Paxton, Leonard; Connor, Irene.

Cunningham, Albert; Davis, Vera; Dominguez, Gilford; Dugus, Cleven; Friedman, Grace; Gude, Emma; Guillet, Ida; Hebert, Carl; Hobert, Edith; Hollis, Dorothy; Kuhlewein, Rosalie; Marist, Walter; Mignes, Joseph.

Migues, Nola; Miller, LaVerne; Patten, Chester; Patterson, Flora; Ballou, Pitman, Darrell; Riley, Ida; Maser, Salvino; Josephine; Sheridan, William; Tyler, Nelson; Ward, Mittie; Wick, May.

Latiolais, Ada; Lefkovits, Carol; Mendon, Mae; Nettie, Ruby; Perry, Morris; Phifer, Lucille; Riley, Eva; Rivers, Carmen; Vaughan, Maggie; Nell, Theriot, Lorbera, Ward, Cynthia.

Below is a list of the 82 DeQueen school pupils who will receive graduation certificates:

Pat Henry; Baugus, Joseph; John Meier, Harris John Norstrom, Archie Snider, Albert Boyce; W.M. Hilda; Auburn, Margaret; M. Aycock, Lila; Ethel Beckom, Marie Bozel, Clara; Eva, Chalk, Mabelle Correll, Mary.

Ethel Louis, Lou; Sam Enome, Haynes, Isa; Doris Haynes, Elizabeth Phillips; Imhoff, Irene; Viola; Alphonse Jim; B. Winter, Elizabeth Ernest Autrey, Winifred; Adelaide, Brown; Elmer M. Bryant; Opal; Lee Thornton, Fred; William Bernhard.

Viola E. Wistner, Bernice; Gertrude Moore, Jo; Henry; Ellender, Gordon; Thompson, Salter; Margarette Stevens, Evans; H. Jean, Steven; Leon; Oral Webb, Erma; S. White; James E. Metz, Long; Max Thomas, Beulah; Maud, Fitzner, Will; Harold Oldham, Jr.

Lonnie Paul, Arminton, Evelyn; Dorothy Knippl, Mamie; Howard Louis; Latimer, Clarence A.; Leedom, Jr.; George Bryant, Logan, Kunit; Macky, Ann; Rita; Melanson, Donald; Fletcherly, E. B.; Griffith, Joe; Tilman, Lester.

Robert Canada, Clara Mae Smith, Charles Vernon Burris, S. J. Stansbury; J. W. O'Neal, Richard Glenn Faust, Morris; P. Taylor, Dannie Head; Byram, Beulah Clayton, Margaret; Ola Adcox, Ella; Bell; Beckham, Sylvia Mae; Beorne, Carl Redmond; Lee Nunnelly.

Clara Mae Armstrong, Roy Henry Frederickson, Walter Oter, Harvey A. Hamilton, R. V. Bean, Howard; Elbert Prout, Helmut Ernest Hund, Roy Abshire, Ernest Beard, Thomas Hogen Wells.

**Fraternal**

# In New York

NEW YORK, May 29.—Heavy lies the load that were the crown of honesty in this old burg. John Cody, taxi driver, will tell you that John found a necklace, valued at \$10,000 after a wealthy woman had left her cab at a depot. Without any hesitation John turned in the necklace at the taxicab office. The next day his picture and his story blazed forth in all the New York papers. An honest man, a taxi driver at that, in New York!

That such a matter makes front page news in New York is in itself a sad commentary on the spirit that pervades the city.

In a Main Street town it would be taken as a matter of course that the finder of another's property would return it to its owner.

Well, to get back to John Cody. He returned the necklace, received a satisfactory reward and went on about his business.

Now he receives letters every day. None of them command him for his honesty.

"You're a big boob," writes one New Yorker.

"You just be off your nut," is an excerpt from another letter received by Cody.

And in the last letter he received there was a small piece of rope. Attached to it was a tag inscribed as follows: "You'd better get a longer piece of this and hang yourself. You're no good, anyway."

A few statistics:

One of every seven machines passing a certain point in Central Park within an hour driven by women or girls.

One of every nine men on Broadway wearing straw hats. One of every 17 straw hats is of last year's crop.

Rainy morning in the subway. Men wearing overcoats outnumber girls and women wearing them two to one.

Only one girl in several hundred passing Times Square in five minutes wore cotton stockings.

—STEPHEN HANNAGAN.

## FITZSIMMONS OUT OF PLANS FOR SCRAP

CHICAGO, May 29.—Floyd Fitzsimmons, credited with the original promotion of the Carpenter-Gibbons bout at Michigan City May 21, has been officially declared out of it by Frank Parker, financier of the enterprise, says today's Chicago Herald and Examiner. Parker, with Joe Coffey, wrestling promoter, has formed a corporation to finance and stage the contest at the time and place named, the newspaper says.

A snake would starve to death rather than eat anything but living prey.

## Fraternal

L. O. O. K. BULLETIN  
Port Arthur Subordinate No. 62 meets Monday night, 8 o'clock. Work Incentive Decree, J. P. Darke, N. J. Alexander, Secy.

Canton Hubbard Lodge No. 20 meets Wednesday night, 8 p. m. Work in P. M. Degree, W. L. Cockman, Com. C. A. Adamsham, Clerk.

Local Lodge No. 100, invitation extended to all Pastors and Odd Fellows to meet at hall Friday, 6 p.m., for picnic at Port Neches Park.

Visiting Odd Fellows and Rebekahs cordially invited to attend meetings of their respective branches of the order. All meetings held in L. O. O. Hall, Procter street.

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## Political Announcements

### TAX COLLECTOR

Miss Ada Lockhart announces her candidacy for re-election to the office of county tax collector in the Democratic primaries, July 26.

Bob Latimer announces his candidacy for the office of tax collector of Jefferson County, subject to Democratic primaries, July 26.

C. W. Palmer announces his candidacy for office of county clerk, subject to Democratic primaries, July 26.

FOR SHERIFF

H. E. Baker announces his candidacy for office of sheriff, subject to Democratic primaries, July 26.

A. H. Dillie announces his candidacy for the office of sheriff, subject to Democratic primaries, July 26.

STATE SENATOR

J. E. Walker of Port Arthur announces his candidacy for State Senator from this district, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 26.

COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR

B. E. Quinn announces his candidacy for the office of county tax assessor subject to the Democratic primaries, July 26.

FOR CONSTABLE

W. T. Harper announces his candidacy for office of constable, precinct No. 2, subject to the Democratic primaries, July 26.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR

J. E. Simmons announces his candidacy for office of constable, precinct No. 3, subject to Democratic primaries, July 26.

The amount of raw silk produced in China and Italy has never been estimated.

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**EVERETT TRUE**  
T. C. Causey announces his candidacy for office of constable, precinct No. 2, subject to Democratic primaries, July 26.

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